

## END OF CARUSO SEEMS NEAR, OXY- GEN BEING USED

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SEVERE RELAPSE SUFFERED—  
TENOR'S WIFE CONSTANTLY  
AT BEDSIDE

(United Press)  
New York, Feb. 16—Enrico Caruso is critically ill, it was announced today.

Physicians fear the tenor will not last through the day.

Friends and relatives hurried to the singer's apartments in the Vanderbilt hotel early today believing the end might come at any time.

Two priests remained with Caruso through the night. The singer, it was reported, was being kept alive with oxygen.

The first official bulletin on Caruso's condition was issued by his secretary, Bruno Birato, at 9:45. It said:

"Mr. Caruso suffered a relapse last night and had an attack of weakness from which he rallied at 4 P. M. He is getting along nicely just now."

Caruso has been ill since Christmas day with pleurisy. Complications set in and two operations were performed. It was reported several days ago that he was worse. At this time it was denied by physicians.

Last night, however, he suffered a severe relapse. Dr. Philip Horowitz, the attending physician, called into consultation Drs. S. Stella, John Ferdinand, W. Lambert and E. M. Evans.

Oxygen tanks were delivered at the singer's apartments and two priests arrived. Caruso's wife, formerly Dorothy Park Benjamin, society girl, was constantly at his bedside.

Caruso lapsed into a state of coma about 2 A. M. but emerged later and rallied sufficiently to recognize his wife.

### Rallies From Relapse

New York, Feb. 16—Enrico Caruso has rallied from a "very serious relapse," his physicians announced today in an official bulletin issued at 10:40 A. M.

Caruso's present condition is not satisfactory but he is somewhat improved, the bulletin said.

## NO FURTHER ADVANCES TO ALLIES, HOUSTON

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 16—No further advance will be made to the allies until the treasury department consults the senate judiciary committee, Secretary Houston promised the committee today.

"I cannot promise definitely now that I will make no further advances on commitments which already exist," Houston said, "because I do not know what the circumstances may be, but before I act in any case I will present all the facts to the committee."

## NEWSPAPER BOMBED EDITOR NOT HOME

(United Press)

Rock Island, Ill., Feb. 16—A bomb exploded at the plant of the Rock Island News, a weekly paper, here today and caused little damage. A similar explosion occurred while the editor was serving a year in jail on criminal libel charges.

## PREMIER SAYS IRISH SITUATION CONTROLLED

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 16—Members of parliament today expected to call up the matter of disarmament and possibly German reparations. Premier Lloyd George, speaking in the house late yesterday, did not touch on those subjects.

## FENNIMORE WIPED OUT BY FIRE

(By United Press)

Madison, Wis., Feb. 16—The business section of the village of Fennimore, Grant county, is being destroyed by fire. The postoffice, telephone building and several stores have been destroyed reports this afternoon said.

CHARLES SUTTER



Charles Sutter is a new member of the United States shipping board. He is from Missouri.

## DOINGS IN HOUSE AND SENATE TODAY

(United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—Investigation of the feasibility of establishing a state owned cement plant in Minnesota, was practically assured today.

The state senate recommended for passage the measure authorizing appointment of a commission to investigate the problem. The bill previously had been approved by the senate highways committee.

Twenty bills were received by the senate today. The senate and house joint committee on election were to meet this afternoon to discuss primary law election measures before the legislature.

Senator Rockne introduced a bill asking that the membership of the state minimum wage commission be increased from three to five.

The senate as a committee of the whole recommended for passage a measure that would make it lawful to take rough fish from the Mississippi and Minnesota rivers all the year round in the vicinity of the Twin Cities and as far down the Mississippi as Hastings and as far up the Minnesota river as Mankato.

Senator Sam Rask, despite the death of one salary increase bill yesterday, today presented a measure calling for an increase in salary in the state insurance department.

Rep. Leightner introduced a measure in the house providing for state inspection of livestock "on the hoof" in the stockyards throughout the state.

## DEFINITE CABINET DEVELOPMENTS SOON

RAYMOND CLAPPER

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 16—Definite cabinet developments are expected here today or tomorrow. Their nature cannot be foretold but it is likely that one of the possible names which have figured as a possibility in the Harding case will be eliminated.

Harry M. Daugherty, prospective attorney general, arrived here today. Will H. Hays, republican national chairman, concluded a three day conference. Hays is now viewed as a certainty for postmaster general.

There is still a belief here today that Harding will, as soon as possible on assuming office, take up the question of the allied indebtedness with a view of reaching an adjustment whereby it can be funded without undue strain on the exchequers of America's late associates in the war with Germany.

## ONLY ONE SURVIVOR TO WINE, WOMEN, SONG

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—There is only one survivor to the old "wine, woman and song" combination in Minnesota today—that's women.

The state senate knocked out the "song" today.

Two senators had offered a song they wished endorsed as the official state song. Action on the bill was indefinitely postponed.

## 'HARDING POLICY' TO SUCCEED THE 'WILSON POLICY'

SENATORS BACK FROM CONFER-  
ENCES WITH PRESIDENT—  
FLECT SO REPORT

NEXT PRESIDENT HAS MADE UP  
HIS MIND ON FOREIGN  
POLICY PLANNED

L. C. MARTIN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Feb. 16—The foreign policy of the new administration will be as distinctively a "Harding policy" as that of the present administration of a "Wilson policy," senators back from conferences in Florida, said today.

The next president has made up his mind about the lines he will pursue, senators said, remarking also that his mental attitude of the foreign policy is much different today than when he was in Washington after his Pan-American tour. Today he seems not to have settled on anything definite; now he has another opinion, according to those who have been close to him.

Returning senators have offered standing bets with no takers as yet, that Herbert Hoover will be in the cabinet, holding one of the "unfilled" lists.

## 50 Cent Annual Salary Of Mayor Held Enough

HOOPESTOWN, ILL., Feb. 16—Excite-

ment is running high in this city, as the populace organizes itself for a determined fight on city officials, who several days ago voted themselves wage increases. The mayor seeks an increase of 8,000 per cent and the aldermen 5,000 per cent. The mayor now receives 50 cents a year, or 9 and 6-10 mills a week, and the aldermen 25 cents a year, or 4 and 8-10 mills a week. They are paid by the year and have no expense accounts. The mayor now demands \$8 a week and the aldermen \$5. Hoopetown has 5,000 population.

## TRIES TO BREAK AVIATION RECORD

(By United Press)

Mineola, N. Y., Feb. 16—Lieut. Ross C. Kirkpatrick ascended in an Eagle biplane here today in an effort to break the world's endurance record.

Kirkpatrick made a similar effort December 21 but was compelled to descend after twelve hours and four minutes because of a leaky gas tank. The world's record held in France, is twenty-four hours, ten minutes and seven seconds.

Kirkpatrick was accompanied by Mechanician Max Goodenough. They shoved off at 7:34 A. M.

## 4 MINNESOTA ROADS INCREASED EARNINGS

(United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—Four railroads operating in Minnesota show increased earnings during the last half of 1920, according to the gross earnings report filed with the state tax commission today.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road showed an increase of over \$2,000,000 compared with the same period of 1919. The Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba, Big Forks & International and the Minnesota & International roads also showed increased earnings.

## Ask For Asylum For Cork Lord Mayor

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 15—A petition asking an asylum in the United States for Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork as a political refugee from Ireland was filed today with Secretary of State Coby by attorneys for O'Callaghan.

## BIG EXPLOSION AT BALLYCOTTONBAY

(By United Press)

Cork, Feb. 16—A secret Sinn Fein munition factory was believed to have been destroyed at Ballycottonbay today when a farm house was blown up. A terrific explosion occurred.

MISS SYBIL JANE MOORE



Miss Sybil Jane Moore of the American Society of Friends has returned to Philadelphia after spending six months in relief work in Vienna.

## MONTEVIDEO SCHOOLS TO TEACH RELIGION

Montevideo, Minn., Feb. 16—Reli-

gious instruction for the public school pupils is to be given a trial in Montevideo. A plan for the course has been arranged and 10 churches of the city will co-operate. The board of education has approved the plan, and the parents of the pupils will be asked to designate the religious denomination under which they desire to have their children instructed.

## Yankees Plan Park to Seat 80,000 Fans

BY HENRY FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Feb. 16—Crowds of the huge proportions that look in on football in England and America will be watching baseball here before many seasons, if the plans of New York club owners are carried out.

The Yankees, who have been sharing the Polo grounds with the Giants for several seasons are about to build a home of their own. Last season the National League told Colonels Ruppert and Huston that they weren't particularly keen about continuing the present arrangement.

The decision, however, merely hastened plans the American League magates had been entertaining to get a big yard of their own.

The plans for the new stadium are being drawn with the idea of providing a seating capacity of 80,000 spectators and construction of the sort that will make additions possible if necessary.

The Polo grounds also is to be enlarged to seat about the same number. The Giant owners are not as near to the completion of their plans, however, as the Yankee bosses, who probably will have the construction work started this summer to have the plant ready for next season if possible.

Baseball crowds here long ago outgrew the capacity of the Polo grounds but the cost of material and labor has been so high in the past few seasons that the club owners could not carry out any plans for improvements. Since the grounds are becoming more popular as the battlefield for the big eastern football teams, the need was also felt for a greater seating capacity.

## Move to Save "Doctor," Abandon "Professor"

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 16—A

move to conserve the title "doctor" for sure-enough medical men, and abandon that of "professor" to the jazz band leader, former prize fighters, sleight of hand artists and others who have kidnapped it, has begun by faculty members at the University of Virginia. It was announced late yesterday a ban had been placed on "professor," educators to be known as plain "mister."

## SLEEPING SICKNESS KILLS IOWA BOY, 8

Sioux City, Iowa, Feb. 16—George Davis, 8 years old, is dead from sleeping sickness. He was first attacked by the disease last Tuesday and never was aroused from his stupor after-

## RAISING CAIN IN ZION, A HOLY WAR BREAKS OUT THERE

WILBUR GLENN VOLIVA AND  
THOMAS B. NELSON AT  
LOGGERSHEADS

VOLIVA CLAIMS ANOTHER MINIS-  
TER NELSON CAME AND  
STOLE FLOCK

(By United Press)

Zion City, Ill., Feb. 16—They are raising Cain in Zion, the city of peaceful bliss.

A holy war has broken out between Wilbur Glenn Voliva and Thomas H. Nelson, who has erected the Grace Missionary church right in Voliva's domain.

Voliva, who makes it plain that he is full of righteous indignation over the evangelistic activities of the preacher, said he "bounced" Nelson with all his faithful flock a year ago.

"You can't blame me for being indignant," said Voliva. "We were getting along nicely under my administration as head of the Zion Catholic church and overseer of Zion City. There came along another preacher and stole my flock. The war is on red hot and there will be a struggle night and day until every traitor goes to his own place."

## Motion Picture Aid is Pledged S. D. Farmers

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 16—William A.

Brady, president of the National Association of Motion Picture Producers addressed the South Dakota legislature yesterday on censorship.

"I pledge the motion picture industry of the United States to circulate in every city and town in every section of the country the case of the South Dakota farmer, that he may receive fair prices for his products," said Mr. Brady.

He made a plea for justice and fairness to the motion picture industry in consideration for the censorship bill before the house. He promised, if left alone, the industry would establish a system of censorship which would eliminate the objectionable features within a few months.

## WARMEST FEBRUARY IN 25 YEARS

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—The warmest February weather in twenty-five years yesterday was followed by a forty degree drop in temperature and a blizzard over the northern section of the state.

Tuesday's maximum temperature was sixty-three degrees—warmer than the warmest California cities.

Today strong winds and overcast skies brought snow flurries here. Fergus Falls, Brainerd, Virginia and other northern cities reported blizzards in progress.

## ADVERSE COMMENTS ON BANKS KILLED

(United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—You can say anything you want to about your banker—without fear of the law, providing it is not scandal or libel.

Senator Gooding's bill which would have made it a crime for any one to make adverse comments on banks or bankers, was killed in the senate today, via a postponement route. Senator Devald, nonpartisan socialist, offered an amendment providing that Minnesota newspapers could not print adverse comments on banks outside of the state—especially North Dakota.

## ST. PAUL MAN COMMITTS SUICIDE

(United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 15—Frank Windish disappeared last night. Early today his fifteen year old son found his body hanging to a rafter in a barn. The coroner pronounced death was due to suicide.

### To Place a Ladder.

Experiments to determine the angle at which a ladder should be placed to secure the maximum degree of safety for those using it have shown that the angle of 75 degrees is the best, whatever the height of the ladder.—Brooklyn Eagle.

PROF. A. A. MICHELSON



Final tests have been completed successfully on an astronomical device perfected by Prof. A. A. Michelson, noted scientist of the University of Chicago, whereby the exact dimensions of stars may be determined.

## ONE MAN CONTROL HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—One man control of the state highway department was practically certain today following a vote in the house yesterday which turned down a proposal for a three man commission. The proposed amendment was downed, 84 members voting against it and 34 for it.

Further action on the house highway committee report was delayed until Thursday.

## Fire Department May Refuse Neighbors Aid

Mitchell, S. D., Feb. 16—There is a grave doubt as to whether the Mitchell municipal fire department will ever make another run to a fire outside of the city limits. This question was discussed at length at a council meeting.

It was asserted that the expense of running out the department is borne entirely by the taxpayers of the city. It usually costs in the neighborhood of \$100 to make a run to a fire. If there is a fight against the flames, the costs mount in accordance with the length of time the fire burns and the apparatus used.

In case of a fire outside the city limits, the expense is even greater and the city taxpayers get no relief from outside sources.

## DOCTOR REMOVES HIS OWN APPENDIX

(By United Press)

Cane, Pa., Feb. 16—Dr. Evan O'Neil Kane, chief surgeon of the Cane Summit Hospital, was rapidly recovering from an operation today that amazed the medical professors when he removed his own appendix yesterday.

Boistered on an operating table and aided by a nurse, the doctor calmly cut into his abdomen and separated the tissues. Only a local anesthetic was applied. Kane is 60 years old.

## CHARGED WITH TIPPLING, REVELLING

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Feb. 16—Perley McBride, proprietor of the "Dutch Room" where 182 alleged revelers were arrested by detectives Saturday night, was arraigned today. He was charged with tipping and revelling under a new city ordinance. His case probably will consume three days. Charges against the other 182 revelers will not be taken up until the case of McBride is disposed of, it was said.

## FOUR KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

(United Press)

Princeton, Ind., Feb. 16—Four men were reported to have been killed in a mine accident at Oaklaid City, near here, today.

An explosion of gas and dust wrecked the New Liberty coal mine and several men were imprisoned. A rescue party immediately started to work.

## GRANDMA, AGE 91, BURIED IN GARDEN PLOT AT NIGHT

POLICE UNEARTHED BODY OF  
MRS. NANCY CHAMBERLAIN  
AT CHICAGO

MOTHER AND GRANDDAUGHTER  
CLAIM SHE DIED A NAT-  
URAL DEATH

(United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 16—Police today unearthed the body of Mrs. Nancy Chamberlain, 91, member of the Artists' Colony here. The body was found under a geranium plot back of the studio formerly occupied by the woman.

The aged woman was buried by her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Townsend, and granddaughter, according to confessions made to police by the latter, Miriam Townsend, talented concert pianist.

"Grandma died one day last June. I don't remember the exact date," said Miss Townsend. "Mother and I were both at her side when she breathed her last. Under the cover of night we dug the grave in the middle of the garden plot. Carrying out the remains we placed the body in the grave. To us she is not dead. Just buried. She is happy in love. She died a natural death on her cot."

## DEATH FOLLOWS AN UPPER CUT

(United Press)

Brookfield, Mo., Feb. 16—Harry Hamilton, local lightweight, died here today; from injuries received in a bout with Frankie Dean of Kansas City, last night.

In the eighth round Dean planted an upper cut on Hamilton's chin that sent him through the ropes. Hamilton was pulled back into the ring by the referee where he fell in a heap. The referee stopped the bout over Hamilton's feeble protest. In a short time Hamilton became unconscious.

## ADVERTISING WILL KILL DEPRESSION

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 16—Judicious advertising will remedy temporarily the general depression, Mayor L. C. Hodgson, of St. Paul, told the eighth district convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, here today. E. W. Randall, president of the St. Paul Association, declared advertising will bring business back to normal within a very short time.

He declared the business average of the next decade will prove equal in every respect the business average of the past decade. The men will be in session through tomorrow. Then the Minnesota Editorial association will open a two day convention.

## NORTH DAKOTA TO HAVE FINANCE TONIC

(United Press)

Minneapolis, Feb. 16—The next move in the settlement of financial difficulties of North Dakota banks is up to Twin City bankers, leaders of the nonpartisan league said today.

Twin City banks have six to eight times as much involved in the financial difficulty of North Dakota banks as the state owned bank of Bismarck, they said.

F. A. Chamberlain, chairman of the board of directors of the First National bank here, said "no specific proposition" has been offered twin city banks for liquidation of the state bank of North Dakota. He said the matter had been discussed but no proposition had been offered.

## EIGHT WHITE SOX LOSE FIRST SKIRMISH

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 16—Eight White Sox ball players charged with conspiracy to throw the 1919 world series, lost the first skirmish in their court battle today.

Judge Wm. Dever denied a petition of attorneys for the players to force the state to announce the charges in which the players must be brought to trial. The defense moved to make an attempt to separate the charges.



## THE WEATHER

Forecast for next 24 hours:  
 Minnesota—Unsettled and colder tonight, cold wave in the northeast portion. Thursday partly cloudy and continued cold.  
 Cooperative observers record, Feb. 15—Maximum 48, minimum 20. Reading in evening 45. Southwest wind. Partly cloudy.  
 Feb. 16—Minimum during the night 12.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Lignite Coal \$9 per ton. Get yours while it lasts. Lakeside Lumber Company. 21813

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paine left for Nisswa on the afternoon train Tuesday.

CHOW MEIN at Ideal Hotel Wednesday and Thursday Nights. 21812

Attorney G. S. Swanson was on the range on Monday attending legal matters.

For Sale—One five passenger 1920 Buick touring car; fine condition, just like new; at practically your own price for this week. Bane Auto Co. 21715

Mrs. J. C. Toms of Crosby was in the city Tuesday and returned on the afternoon train.

Lignite Coal \$9 per ton. Get yours while it lasts. Lakeside Lumber Company. 21813

A. T. Fisher left for the Twin Cities on Tuesday where he will attend to business matters.

Adolph, six years old son of Captain and Mrs. Eric Graf, is visiting his grandfather, at East Long Lake.

Haydon's Delicious Brick Ice Cream in pints or quarts can now be had at the Princess Candy Kitchen. 21812

O. Vanasse of Gull Lake, Sask., returned to his home today after a visit with friends and relatives in the city.

Daily Matinee at the New Lyceum 2:15. Complete show from 2:45. 18517

Mrs. Fred Luken left on the afternoon train Tuesday for Altkir where she will visit with her brother Floyd Brown.

Haydon's Delicious Brick Ice Cream always on hand at Princess Candy Kitchen. 21812

Lee Slipp of the Brainerd Hardware Co. has gone to the Twin Cities to attend the state hardware dealers' convention.

For Sale—Five passenger Ford touring car. Lights and starter and many extras. Hickory wheels and demountable rims. Bane Auto Co. 21715

Miss Amanda Rustad of St. Paul arrived in the city Sunday to be assisted with the Grandelmeier Hat Shop as trimmer.

Take a Brick of Haydon's Delicious Ice Cream home with you. Princess Candy Kitchen. 21812

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harker on Tuesday and the parents were called upon to bear the loss of the baby after it lived one day.

School children from ten years old up, call at Bane Auto Co's and find out how to make money during vacation. 21715

Bishop Co-adjutor G. G. Bennett of Duluth made a very strong impression upon his hearers at St. Paul's

Episcopal church on Sunday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Millard Holden, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fitzsimmons, left on the afternoon train for their home in Montana.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walker of Kenyon, Minnesota who are on their wedding trip arrived in the city Tuesday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Walker's cousin Lars Swelland.

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A representative gathering of machinists were at the depot this afternoon when the body of Louis Herdez was placed on the train to be conveyed to Fargo for interment.

INCREASE YOUR BUSINESS through the neat appearance of your Delivery Car. Let me dress it up in keeping with your other improvements of your business. Paint and Letters of attractive design will bring results. Drive it to 414 So. 6th St., opposite post office. C. C. Bowen. 21813

Miss Bessie Markowitz, sister of Mr. Markowitz of the clothing store, accompanied by Miss Rose Mark and Miss Sophia Weinstein all from Duluth, passed through the city today enroute to California for the winter.

Miss Aletha Saltce who has been confined to home through sickness for the past three weeks is now recovered and was down town Wednesday. Miss Saltce will resume her duties at the office of Swanson and Swanson, attorneys, Thursday morning.

A road engine was blowing steam into the sewers of the downtown streets Tuesday so that trouble may be avoided through floods caused by the frozen sewers failing to drain off the water. When was this necessary in past years on the 15th day of February?

Harrison Parent-Teachers' Meeting. The Harrison Parent-Teachers' association held its regular meeting on Monday, Feb. 14, at 3:30 P. M.

A fairly large number were present to enjoy an entertaining afternoon's rest.

Miss Murphy's first graders reminded the audience of Feb. 14th by singing a little Valentine song.

Mrs. Mal Clark very pleasingly sang "The Barefoot Trail," by Alvin & Viggers, and for her encore "Smilin' Through," by Arthur Penn Long.

Miss Marie Koop accompanied her, after which she played two beautiful selections, "Polonaise" by MacDowell, and a left handed solo, "Andante Finkle," from Lucia di Lammermoor by he Leschetizky Op. 13.

The Harrison association greatly appreciated the musical numbers so delightfully rendered by Mrs. Clark and Miss Koop.

The pupils of the A-4th grade presented an excellent dramatization of

the fairy tale, "Rumpelstiltskin." The two songs, "Hail Land of Freedom," and "Jingle, Jingle, Jingle, Jingle," by the girls of the A-7th and B-8th grades were sung with true feeling and expression.

These were followed by two Japanese songs sung by the girls of the A-6th and B-7th grades. The girls sang very well, and were prettily costumed as little Jap maids which added much to the presentation of the songs.

The last number, a dramatic reading in three acts, was read in an entertaining manner by the A-5th and B-6th pupils. The story beautifully emphasized the wonderful characteristics of our country's beloved Abraham Lincoln.

## Lowell School

Monday evening, February 21st, there will be a program held at the Lowell school. The program will be given by the pupils of the school. After the program refreshments will be served.

There will be no charge for the entertainment but a lunch will be served by the mothers the proceeds of which will go towards payments on the Victrola which the school has purchased recently. The entire program will appear later.

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THURSDAY, NIGHT, FEB. 17

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The Honor Hardware Store

## Armenian President Asks American Aid



Dr. H. Ohandjanian Armenian President

Erivan, Armenia: Dr. H. Ohandjanian, President of the Armenian Republic, has sent an urgent cablegram to Charles V. Vickrey, General Secretary of the Near East Relief, 1 Madison Ave., New York City, requesting immediate assistance to prevent the starvation of the Armenian people before the next harvest can be gathered. President Ohandjanian's message reads:

"Owing to hail, rain and field mice, the harvest in Armenia fell below expectations. Standing crops appeared well, but owing to poor seed, returns were not as good as was expected. Maximum returns 140,000 tons, only sufficient for eight months for one and a half million people. Food crisis critical and intensified by new Turkish invasion of Armenia. It is estimated that 100,000 peaceful inhabitants of Sarikamish and Kars region have been forced to flee towards the interior of Armenia. There are also large numbers fleeing from Bolsheviks in Azerbaijan and Southern Russia, and coming to Armenia. Farmers, fearing famine, are unwilling to sell crops, thus leaving the cities foodless. In addition to the Armenian crops, ten thousand tons have been purchased from neighboring countries.

"In order to save Armenia it is necessary to secure flour from America, 50,000 tons, maximum requirement. In the name of the Armenian Government and the Armenian People, I beg that you use your wide influence in order that the Near East Relief may secure and ship the flour needed. I am sure that in this serious crisis the Near East Relief will not fail to continue its aid to Armenia in her struggle for existence.

"H. OHANDJANIAN,  
 "President of Armenia."

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A Hair Problem. On the average head there are a thousand hairs to each square inch. Find out the number of square inches in your scalp and you will soon know the approximate number of hairs on it. That is, if you have a normal head of hair.

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### TOTAL ENROLLMENT 1900 MARK

Board of Education and Council Seek  
Financial Aid at Session of the  
Legislature

The total enrollment in all of the schools for the current year, counting all pupils who have been in school since Sept. 1st., is approaching the 1900 mark and, as there are yet four months more of school, the total enrollment for the year will probably be about the same as that of last year, possibly a little in excess. While the total school enrollment for a school year has not shown any large increases in a period of several years, the number of pupils in high school and in the upper grades has been on the increase, and this condition explains the congestion in certain quarters of the town. A given number of high school pupils require a larger number of class rooms to accommodate them than an equal number of grade children.

Some of the grade buildings in the city are taxed to their capacity as to numbers and any additional increase would prove a very embarrassing situation. The Harrison building has had in attendance during the past month an average of about thirty-eight (38) pupils to the room and, as an equal distribution is not possible under a grading system, it means that some rooms must have more than forty (40) pupils. The Lowell and Washington grades number on the average thirty-six (36) pupils to the room, the Lincoln thirty-five (35); and the Whittier thirty-three (33). All of the available grade rooms in our schools are now occupied, except one vacant room in the Whittier, and the number of pupils per teacher has about reached the limit which a teacher can efficiently handle. We are calling attention to the above situation to show how a slight increase in the population of the town or increased vigilance in the enforcement of the school attendance laws of the state could easily create a real problem in the housing of school children in Brainerd.

There is before the legislature at the present time, and under serious consideration by both House and Senate a new Compulsory School Law requiring part time attendance of all children up to eighteen (18) years of age, except four year high school graduates and many people believe this law will be enacted before the adjournment of the legislature. If such a measure should pass the present legislature, it would affect, at an estimate, about one hundred (100) young people in Brainerd and would add to the school room problem in Brainerd very materially. Hearings on the above measure are being held before the finance committee of the Senate this week and will be before the finance committee of the House next week. A circular from the State Department of Education, just received, notifies all school districts or parties interested to make their wishes on the proposed measure known to the legislature at once.

Some facts that may be of interest to Brainerd citizens in connection with the school room problem are herewith presented. There may be some slight errors in connection with some of the items but we think that they are essentially correct:

| Brainerd School Buildings                              |        |
|--------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Mill school, 2 rooms, built 1882, cost.....            | \$     |
| High school, 10 rooms, built 1884, cost.....           | 40,000 |
| High school addition, 10 rooms, built 1903, cost.....  | 30,000 |
| Lincoln school, 8 rooms, built 1894, cost.....         | 17,500 |
| Whittier school, 8 rooms, built 1894, cost.....        | 17,000 |
| Harrison school, 8 rooms, built 1894, cost.....        | 17,500 |
| Lowell school, 8 rooms, built 1894, cost.....          | 17,000 |
| Lowell school addition, 4 rooms, built 1903, cost..... | 10,000 |
| West Brainerd school, 1 room, built 1919, cost.....    | 5,000  |

Total cost of all buildings \$155,000  
All of the building indicated above are in daily use at the present time, and with the exception of the one room building in West Brainerd, and two additions built eighteen (18) years ago, were built twenty-seven (27) years ago.

From the above figures concerning school buildings, it would seem apparent that the school buildings in Brainerd are getting somewhat old and that for a city of ten thousand (10,000) no great extravagance has been displayed in the school building program.

Within the past two weeks a committee from the Board of Education and from the city council made a

trip to St. Paul to interview leaders in the legislature concerning some financial aid for Brainerd because of the hardship sustained in the cities total valuation for tax purposes owing to the gross-earning tax. It is hoped that some measure of relief will be found by the present Legislature to correct an injustice to a number of railway centers like Brainerd.

Washington's birthday will be observed in all of the schools again this year with suitable programs of a patriotic character and the public in general is invited to attend. The several patriotic organizations of the city, including the G. A. R., the Relief Corps and Circle Ladies, the American Legion and the United War Veterans are especially to attend the exercises at the high school and join with the school in making the day significant in a patriotic way.

Through the interest and enthusiasm aroused in the various Parent-Teachers organizations in the city, nearly all of the schools are now equipped with up to date phonographs, Victrolas or Edisons. These instruments will serve a very useful purpose in the schools in a variety of ways and, if the proper records can be secured, should make it possible for all of the pupils to listen to master pieces from the great artists. The Lowell school will put on an entertainment in the near future to complete payment on their instrument and to provide a supply of records.

We have received some inquiries during the month at the office as to whether the compulsory school attendance law was being enforced and whether the state laws concerning the frequenting of pool rooms and bowling alleys by children was observed. The schools will be glad to have names reported to the superintendent's office or to the secretary of the school board, in case of violation of either of the above laws, and the same will be turned over to the school trustee officer, C. H. Varner for action under the state law.

Consolidated report of all buildings for January, 1921:

|                                                         |      |
|---------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Enrolled to date, boys .....                            | 920  |
| Enrolled to date, girls .....                           | 950  |
| Total .....                                             | 1870 |
| New enrollment, boys .....                              | 19   |
| New enrollment, girls .....                             | 14   |
| Total .....                                             | 33   |
| Cases of tardiness .....                                | 166  |
| No. teachers' meetings .....                            | 2    |
| No. fire drills .....                                   | 10   |
| Cases of truancy reported .....                         | 10   |
| Cases of corporal punishment .....                      | 1    |
| No. books reported as taken from school libraries ..... | 1015 |

#### Report by Buildings

|                                                                                                               |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Lowell—Sara Irwin, acting principal, boys 241, girls 231, total 472, per cent attendance 96.16, tardies 36.   |  |
| Harrison—Fleda Caniff principal, boys 164, girls 148, total 312, per cent attendance 95.6, tardies 49.        |  |
| Lincoln—Sadie Garrett principal, boys 153, girls 147, total 300, per cent attendance 95., tardies 29.         |  |
| Whittier—Louise Barrett principal, boys 125, girls 89, total 214, per cent attendance 94.7, tardies 5.        |  |
| Washington (Gr.)—Boys 108, girls 120, total 228, per cent attendance 94., tardies 37.                         |  |
| West Brainerd—M. Adeline Smiley principal, boys 16, girls 19, total 35, per cent attendance 92.9, tardies 0.  |  |
| High school—M. Blair Scherich principal, boys 113, girls 196, total 309, per cent attendance 97., tardies 19. |  |

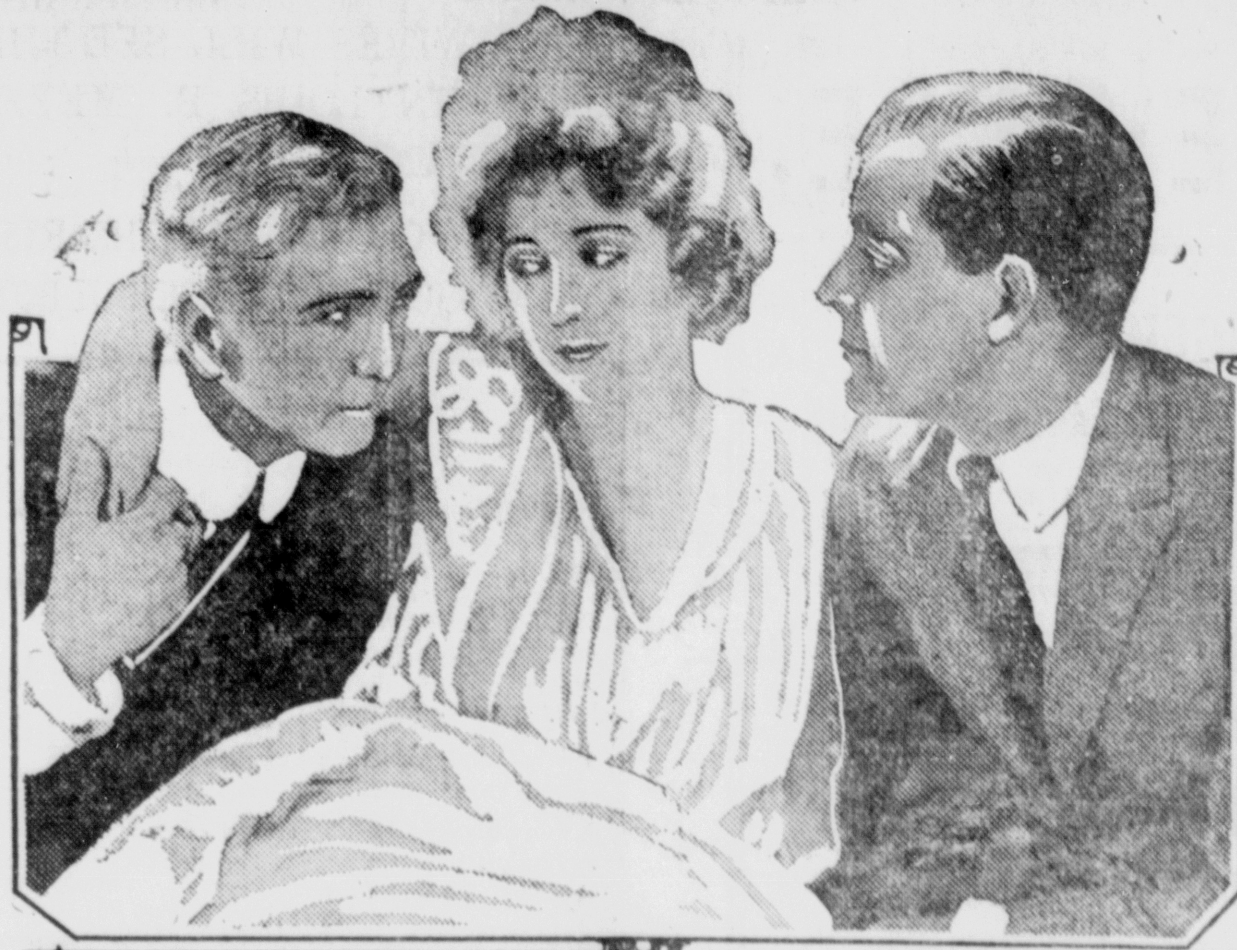
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| The following rooms had the best attendance for the month: |      |
| Seventh Grade, Lowell, Miss Austin teacher .....           | 99.6 |
| Fifth Grade, Washington, Miss Lowey, teacher .....         | 98.9 |
| Sixth Grade Whittier, Miss Heley, teacher .....            | 98.7 |
| Seventh Grade, Harrison, Miss Caniff, teacher .....        | 97.8 |
| Eighth Grade, Lowell, Miss Benson, teacher .....           | 97.8 |
| Fifth Grade, Lowell, Miss Irwin teacher .....              | 97.7 |
| High School, M. B. Scherich, teacher .....                 | 97.  |
| Mixed Grade, Washington, Mrs. Fleming, teacher .....       | 97.  |
| Elghth Grade, Lincoln, Miss Garrett, teacher .....         | 97.  |

Class averages and the honor rolls for the third six weeks period are somewhat late owing to the fact that the first semester has just been completed and there was considerable work to be finished up before the class averages for the third period could be made up accurately.

|                                                                        |       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| The class averages for the four classes in high school are as follows: |       |
| Freshmen .....                                                         | 83.09 |
| Sophomore .....                                                        | 83.99 |
| Juniors .....                                                          | 85.4  |
| Seniors .....                                                          | 85.98 |
| School average .....                                                   | 84.33 |

The seniors have attained for the last six weeks the highest school average yet obtained by any class since school started last September. The students on the honor roll the past six weeks are as follows:

Freshman—Maize Carmichael,



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The star students, those receiving 90% or more in every subject in the Freshman class are as follows: Charles Hoffman, Virgil Quansstrom, Leta Wolhart, Estell Wolhart, Lyle Northrop.

Sophomore Honor Roll—Donald Closterman, Margaret Peterson, Alice G. Johnson, William Graham, Lucille Nolan, Winifred Spencer, Addie Jack, Mildred Seeger, Irma Seeger, Hulda Hendrickson, Harry Sundquist, Helen Erickson, Edna Kamrath.

The star students, those receiving 90% or more in every subject in the Sophomore class are as follows: Margaret Peterson.

Juniors Honor Roll—Tena Backen, Mamie Britton, Virginia Casey, Beatrice Guin, Ruth Gustafson, Alice Johnson, Marion Templeton, Ellen Tervo, Cora Mattson, Astrid Olson, Irene Evans, Ruth McCall, Myrtle Johnson, Elizabeth Wilson, Gladys Peterson, George Sargent, Norma Hagberg, Werner Mahlum.

The star students, those receiving 90% or more in every subject in the Junior class are as follows: Mamie Britton, Ruth Gustafson, Helen Holden.

Senior Honor Roll—George Engstrom, Theodora Hillard, Harold Jones, Gladys Senn, Chester Carjala, Bruce Jensen, Clara Hamre, Edward Hendrickson, Nellie Rardin, Lillian Engbretson, Marguerite Carmichael.

The star students, those receiving 90% or more in every subject in the Senior class are as follows: George Engstrom, Theodora Hillard, Gladys Senn.

We ask that the parents of students observe the class averages and the school average very carefully. The school average very carefully. The gotten from taking all the grades of all the students divided by the number of subjects in the high school. We feel that every student could have his work at least up to the school average if the proper amount of study was put on the subject. Some students require considerable home study while others do not need so much, but as a rule, the students with the high averages do a definite amount of home study. This home study should be done systematically. The principal will be glad at any

time to give any information as to how and to what amount of home study the students should be doing.  
(By W. C. Cobb, Superintendent)

#### Swedish Baptist Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the Swedish Baptist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John F. Sundberg, 1504 Pine street, S. E. Every member is asked to be present and all visitors will be made welcome.

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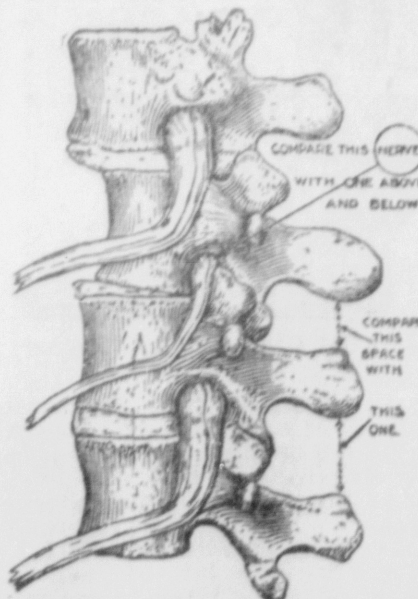
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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1921

#### TIRED OF BEDROOM FARCE

"Bedroom farce is on the wane," reports a writer on stage matters. "San Francisco sends word that two farces of the lascivious sort were closed there in double-quick order."

"Too many bedroom farces" was the season given by those familiar with theatrical conditions in that territory. "The public has had its fill of this trash and refuses to patronize it further. We believe this feeling is not confined to this territory."

"Nor is it. The revolution is universal. The trend is toward better plays and more substantial musical comedies at the cost of suggestive farce and musical revues depending upon the display of the feminine form for their success."

This is heartening news indeed. It seemed for a while as if the whole world had gone mad over what was meretricious and vile and forgotten all that was wholesome. A refusal to attend plays of this type will presently be followed by a refusal to patronize pictures of similar indecency. Books and magazines will feel the sweetening of the public taste ere long. Sanity is on the way.

#### TRANSLATING LEGAL LANGUAGE

A woman magistrate in London has won considerable favorable comment from fellow jurists for advocating that an interpreter be placed in every court to translate the legal language used there to plain English for the benefit of persons to whom the involved phrases and big words of the law are unintelligible and mysterious.

No doubt such interpretation would help to lessen the fear of the law felt by many poor people of little education. Even educated persons without any special knowledge of the law are easily confused and annoyed by the circuitous phraseology of the courts, so that an interpreter would be a welcome relief to mental strain and impatience.

One cannot help wondering why the interpreter should merely translate legal language for the benefit of participants in individual cases as they come up. If it is ever possible to render the law into simple, plain English, why not drop all the formidable and involved terms at the start and use only direct and simple speech in all cases? The translators might get busy on the most frequently used statutes and authorities and put them

into straightforward language, working from them out into the other branches of the law. It would be a great day for justice when they had completed their task. Lawyers and judges might lose some of their awesomeness in the public eye, but their wisdom would shine forth the more clearly when they actually possessed it.

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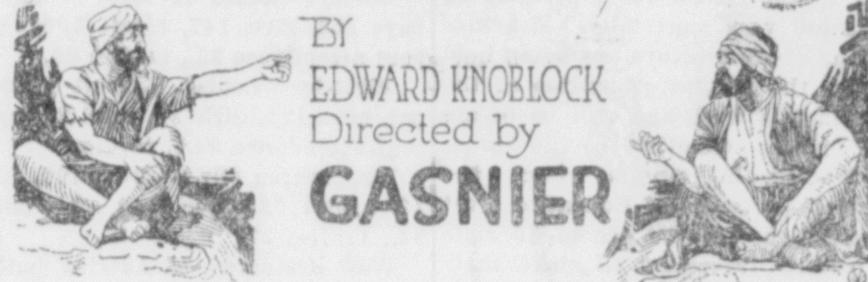
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# ELKS TO INITIATE A CLASS OF 70 FEB. 17

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler A. R. Robert of Crookston to be Guest of Honor

## FIRST OFFICIAL VISIT IN CITY

Visitors Include Don Freeman, Pres. State Elks Assn., and J. R. Jerrard, Exalted Ruler St. Cloud

All Elkdom of Brainerd's large jurisdiction is preparing for the night of Thursday, February 17, when a class of 70 is to be initiated.

The occasion will also be the first official visit of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler A. R. Robert of Crookston. He has been very active in Elks circles for years.

Distinguished visitors include Don Freeman of St. Cloud, president of

## CHARTER COMMISSION ACTS ON TUESDAY

Evening Session Held at Council Chambers in City Hall, Col. A. J. Halsted Presiding

### AMENDMENTS ARE SUBMITTED

Refer to Interest Fund, Taxing Railway Property, and Notice to City of Defects

A meeting of the charter commission was held Tuesday evening at the council rooms in the city hall. President A. J. Halsted presided and Louis Johnson was secretary.

The members present just made the quorum of eight and included besides the officers named W. T. McCloskey, P. M. Hagberg, Fred Drexler, J. H. Strickler, Hugo A. Kaatz and F. M. Koop.

The amendments as given below were submitted to the commission in accordance with action taken by the city council and were adopted unanimously. They will be submitted to the voters at the spring election, the amendments being voted on separately. They are:

(a) That chapter three of the charter of the city of Brainerd, entitled finances, Section 54, No. 1, an interest fund, be amended by adding thereto and making a part thereof of the following:

"Into this fund shall be paid all interest and penalties received on special assessments hereafter levied by the city for local improvements."

(b) That chapter three, section 54, No. 13, a permanent improvement revolving fund, be further amended by striking therefrom the words, "provided further, that no ground occupied by, or lying between, railway tracks shall be assessed for any such improvement."

(c) That section 94 of chapter six be amended by adding thereto the following:

"And said city shall be absolutely exempt from liability to any person for damages or injuries suffered or sustained by reason of defective streets or sidewalks within said city unless actual notice in writing of such defects in said streets or sidewalks shall have been filed with the city clerk within at least ten days before the occurrence of such injury or damage. In the absence of such notice the city shall not be liable for any injury or damage on account of such defects, and in all cases such notice shall describe with particularity the place and nature of the defects of which complaint is made."

Section 94-A. The amendments to section 54 of chapter three and section 94 of chapter six, shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its adoption.

**Interest Fund**  
The first amendment provides that all interest on special assessments shall be paid into an interest fund and not into the permanent improvement revolving fund, as has been done hitherto.

**Assessing Railway Properties**  
This amendment makes the Brainerd charter conform to the new state amendment passed at the last general election in the state. The Brainerd charter prohibited taxation of local railway property for adjoining street paving, sewers, etc. The state amendment now permits it and the amendment brings the city charter in line with state law.

The third amendment proposed gives the city some show in fighting damage suits. As it now stands the city is blamed for all defects, known or unknown. The amendment provides that the city shall be exempt from liability to any person for damages or injuries sustained by reason of defective streets or sidewalks unless actual notice in writing of such defects shall have been filed with the city clerk within at least ten days before occurrence of accident or damage. In the absence of notice the city shall not be liable.

**Baseball Park**  
One lone baseball fan appeared before the charter commission and sought to get action on making some provision for a municipal ball park or recreation grounds in various wards for the kids of the city.

**Birthday Dinner**  
Henry Anderson entertained Sunday on the occasion of his birthday anniversary, covers being laid for 22 at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson of 419 North Third street, where a turkey dinner was served. He received many presents. Later in the evening a lunch was also served.

## MUNICIPAL COURT

Barrows Bus Man Claims Engine Makes Noise But Bus Travels Slowly

Lester Davis appeared before Municipal Judge, Walter F. Wieland, in municipal court Wednesday morning charged with speeding on Saturday on Kindred street. Mr. Davis drives the Barrows' bus.

Special Officer C. H. Abrahamson, was the witness for the State.

The defendant took the stand in his own defense and claimed that the bus is propelled by a Ford engine and that the gear is the same as the worm gear in trucks and that the highest speed the bus can possibly attain under its own power is 18 miles per hour. He claimed to be traveling at about eight miles an hour at time when he was said to have been speeding. He admitted that the engine runs excessively fast and makes considerable noise but the bus cannot attain a high rate of speed. Harry Stearns who was in the bus at the time appeared as a witness for the defense.

After hearing the facts Judge Wieland found the defendant "Not Guilty" and dismissed the case.

## BREAD IN BRAINERD

Dispatch Reader Wants to Know Why Staff of Life Remains High in Brainerd

To the Editor of the Dispatch:  
Why hasn't the price of bread lowered in Brainerd?

All the ingredients that go into a loaf of bread have dropped in price. New York has the five cent loaf again, and bread that is shipped into our city has dropped one cent, but our local bakeries haven't even made that concession to popular demand.

It seems as if it is about time that some investigation was made to see if there isn't some combine that is keeping up the price of this daily necessity.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea for the League of Women Voters to appoint a committee for this purpose at its meeting next Saturday?

A Reader

## LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE NOTICE

Regular meeting Thursday, Feb. 17th. All members requested to be present.

H. R. WEIDEMANN, Sec'y.

## FARM BUREAU NEWS

Schedule of Meetings Given for Five Farm Units in the County of Crow Wing

The Daggett Brook Farm Bureau Unit will meet Thursday at the home of S. W. Rouse.

The White Fish Lake Farm Bureau will meet at the Ideal Town hall on Thursday.

The Platte Lake Farm Bureau Unit meets Friday evening at the home of John Milnar.

The Bay Lake Better Farming Club meets at the Bay Lake school house on Saturday.

The Deerwood-Irondale Community Club will meet on Saturday at Deerwood.

## Catholic Forester Aid

The Ladies Catholic Forester Aid will meet with Mrs. L. J. Mraz, 613 South 9th street, Thursday afternoon.

**Phonograph as a Burglar Alarm.**  
A practical genius has hitched up his phonograph to the door and at night after hours should any intruder succeed in opening the door the phonograph is set into action and by means of a specially made record it calls loudly for help to catch the thief.

**Machine Scrapes Off Paint.**  
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## A. J. MCGUIRE SPOKE AT CREAMERY MEETING

Head of Dairy Extension Division of the University Farm Hail Talk on Bettering Creamery

### ASS'T. SECY. WHITE'S REPORT

Officers Elected—All Re-elected Except Secretary—Directors are Also Named

The meeting of the Brainerd Co-operative Creamery was called to order at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, February 15, by the president of the association, Otto Wendt.

A. J. McGuire, who is head of the Dairy Extension Division of the University Farm, was called upon by the president to speak on the subject, "Bettering the Co-operative Creamery." Mr. McGuire's address was practical and inspirational and emphasized the value of the get-together spirit. The talk was very much appreciated by the hearers.

Assistant Secretary Henry White, gave an efficient and highly satisfactory report of the year's work which report was printed in Tuesday's Dispatch.

Enthusiastic discussion was provoked by two suggestions which were brought before the meeting relative to the amount to be placed in the sinking fund and the time when cream is to be brought in and accepted by the buttermaker.

In disposing of the first of these matters the members authorized the board to put three cents from amount received from each pound of butter fat into the sinking fund during the months of June and July. With regard to the other matter it was moved and carried that the manager be given authority to refuse cream brought in later than 3 o'clock on the days of the week with the exception of Saturday when the time is to be fixed at 12 noon. The management states that it does not wish to be arbitrary on this matter but asks that those who have cream for the co-operative creamery try to have it delivered by the hours named.

The following officers were elected as the officers for the year 1921:

President—Otto Wendt, re-elected.  
Vice-President—P. B. Anderson, re-elected.

Secretary—Sylvia Nelson.  
Treasurer—August Nelson, re-elected.

All of the officers of 1920 were re-elected with the exception of the secretary, and Miss Sylvia Nelson, who was elected secretary, has been acting as temporary secretary for some time.

Geo. S. McCulloch was re-elected as director at large and the following were newly elected to the directorate: Pedar Madsen and Frank Peabody.

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**SPECIAL NOTICE**—Dr. Frederick Jacobson says that phosphates are just as essential to any woman who tires easily, is nervous or irritable, worn out or looks haggard and pale to make a strong, robust, vigorous, healthy body, as they are to make corn, wheat or any vegetable, plant grow strong and healthy. The lack of phosphates is the cause of all endemic conditions and the administration of 5-grain Argo-Phosphate Tablets will increase the strength and endurance 500% in a few weeks time in many cases.

## LOUIS HERDEG

Brainerd Machinist Died of Cerebral Hemorrhage, Funeral to be in Fargo, N. D.

Louis Herdeg aged 30 years, died Tuesday morning at 3:30 o'clock. The deceased was born in Winona, Minn. and came to Brainerd from Fargo, North Dakota, about two years ago. During his residence here he had been employed as a machinist in the Northern Pacific railroad shop. He had made many friends in this city and was highly respected by his fellow workmen and those in whose home he lived bear testimony to his manly and friendly qualities.

Mr. Herdeg went to work last Thursday morning and seemed to be enjoying his usual good health when, at about 8 o'clock, and just after he had joked with one of his fellow workmen, he was taken by some kind of a stroke which was later found to be a cerebral hemorrhage. He was conveyed to a local hospital where he died at 3:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning, February 15.

The body was borne from the D. E. Whitney undertaking parlors to the afternoon train today to be taken to Fargo for funeral services and interment. These services will be held Thursday afternoon from Moors undertaking parlors and Rev. Dr. P. Bertson of the First Presbyterian church will officiate.

Deceased leaves to mourn their loss, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herdeg, one brother, Carl, and two sisters, Mrs. A. G. Stanton and Mrs. F. J. Osborne both of Fargo.

After the young man was stricken his relatives were called and his brother Carl and sister Mrs. Stanton were with him at the time of his passing.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors, S. A. F., U. O. F., Pulp and Sulphite Workers of the paper mill, and the members of the Bethlehem Norwegian church for their sympathy, kindness and the floral offerings given us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

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| Hiawatha Red Raspberries, per can   | 45c    |
| Hiawatha Blackberries, per can      | 45c    |
| Large can Hiawatha Sliced Peaches   | 50c    |
| Large can Hiawatha Egg Plums        | 45c    |
| Large can Hiawatha Peeled Apricots  | 50c    |
| Large can Hiawatha Pears            | 50c    |
| Large can Silver Bar Plums          | 35c    |
| Large can Bluebird Sliced Pineapple | 35c    |
| Large can Bluebird Grated Pineapple | 35c    |
| 1 Pound Tail Pink Salmon, per can   | 20c    |
| 1 Pound Flat Pink Salmon, per can   | 25c    |
| Oil Sardines                        | 5c     |
| Albacore Tuna Fish, 1b can          | 20c    |
| Wagner Apples, per box              | \$2.50 |
| Winesap Apples, per box             | \$3.00 |
| Sunshine Cookies, per peck          | 70c    |
| No. 1 Pork and Beans, 3 for         | 25c    |

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| Chili Con Carne, 2 for | 25c | Blue Bird Peas, 2 for | 35c |
| Hot Tamales, 2 for     | 25c | Blue Bird Corn, 2 for | 35c |

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| No. 3 Kraut and Sausage, Sterling Brand 23c, 2 for | 45c |
| No. 3 Gedneys Kraut, 2 for                         | 25c |
| Hiawatha Red Kidney Beans, 2 for                   | 25c |
| Wampum Refugee Beans, 2 for                        | 25c |
| Blue Bird Beets, large can                         | 25c |
| Boy Scout Syrup, 5 lb pail                         | 40c |
| Boy Scout Syrup, 10 lb pail                        | 75c |
| Marshmallow White Syrup, 5 lb pail                 | 45c |

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| Jiffy-Jell, 3 for       | 25c | No. 3 Batavia Tomatoes | 30c |
| No. 3 Hiawatha Tomatoes | 30c | Theonk Corn, 2 for     | 25c |

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| Marshmallow White Syrup, 10 pound pail         | 85c    |
| 4 lb Sack Jemima Pancake Flour, plain          | 40c    |
| 4 lb Sack Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, buckwheat | 50c    |
| Excelsior Cake Flour                           | 25c    |
| Empress Coffee, per lb                         | 45c    |
| Uzar Coffee, 3 lb can                          | \$1.15 |
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A. R. ROBERT  
District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler

the State Elks Association and J. R. Jerrard, Exalted Ruler of St. Cloud Lodge, No. 516.

St. Cloud stages the big state convention this year and will be able to do so, having recently completed a large new hotel. The convention on



DON FREEMAN  
Of St. Cloud, President of State Elks Association

account of lack of hotel facilities last year, went to Virginia, but this year St. Cloud will be prepared to care for every Elk who shows up.

The St. Cloud Elks quartet will sing at the ceremonies in Brainerd lodge Thursday evening. Their singing is of high standard and their work embellishes the ritual.

Early Thursday afternoon the Elks club rooms will be open and Secretary Harry J. Carlson and assistants will be there by 4 o'clock to attend to the new class payments, etc.



J. R. JERRARD  
Exalted Ruler St. Cloud Lodge of Elks

A parade will be staged early in the evening and will consist of the Machinists' drum corps, Elks drill team, the Elks patrol followed by the class of 70 candidates and closing with Elks members.

New features have been added by the Elks special committee and the range candidates, who sometimes asserted they were not getting enough excitement, will be fully satisfied.

**Bethlehem Lutheran Aid**  
The Ladies Aid of the Bethlehem Lutheran church, South 7th street, will be entertained in the church parlors Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Gunhild Bye.



## Raising the Family-

Pa didn't realize that Ma referred to his grammatical errors!

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MRS. HARDING TO  
FACE ONE WORRYSHE MUST EXPECT IMPERTINENT  
INTRUDING INTO WHITE  
HOUSE DAILY AFFAIRS.

## PUBLICITY IS NOT RELISHED

Prying Into Her Domestic Habits and  
Arrangements Already Has Begun—  
How Roosevelt When President  
Handled Such a Matter.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—A woman as well as a man is to enter the White House on March 4. It is not likely that the contributors to the woman's pages of the newspapers and magazines for one moment will allow this fact to remain unknown, but in the days of hectic speculation about cabinet appointments and things of high legislation the interest seems chiefly to center about the man who is to take up his abode in the house with the big pillars.

Mrs. Harding has not been forgotten

by the writers of her sex. Some of the staiders ones in this Washington community have wished that those who have written, or are writing, would pay more attention to Mrs. Harding's qualities as a woman than to New York with main attention given, as far as the writers are concerned, to the texture and the color of this gown or that gown, and to the number of rosettes, or whatever they call them, or feathers there are on this hat or that hat.

The women of the White House ever since the government began have made their influence felt with the people in many, many ways. They have not ruled the country through their husbands, nor have they in any instance meddled with legislation, nor attempted in any way whatsoever, so far as is known, directly to guide the President's hand in any matter of policy. Nevertheless, legislation, international relations, and all other things of high moment, more or less have been influenced by the woman in the White House.

It is an intangible sort of thing, this influence of the "Mistress of the Mansion," but, as everybody knows, it exists in every house in the land, and as long as humankind is humankind it will exist in the White House.

Doesn't Relish the Publicity.

Almost invariably the women of the

White House have shrank from publicity. Nobody believes that Mrs. Harding rejoices because of the daily exploitation of the marvelous cooking of which it is said that she is capable, nor is it supposed that she is over-pleased because it has been announced in big headlines that henna, or some other color, is to be the rage of the season because she owns a dress which shows forth that hue to the eye.

In the past there has been much impertinent intruding into the domestic arrangements of the White House and into the daily affairs of its mistress and its master, if these homely old English expressions can be used. Already the public is being told of the favorite breakfast, luncheon and dinner dishes of the President-elect and his good wife. The chances are forty to one that neither one of them ever tasted some of the delectables of which it is said solemnly and with every circumstance of veracity that they are extremely fond, and even "can't get along without."

"Thereupon hangs a tale." Once upon a time there were duty, or rather unduly, set forth in the public prints three White House menus. This happened during the administration of Theodore Roosevelt. It was declared that the simple and strenuous President and his family ate all kinds of fancy French concoctions three times a day.

What the children ate in the morning, and at noon, and at night as their special dishes was set forth with the imprint of sure knowledge and authority. If the children had eaten what the preparers of the bills of fare had declared they ate, not one of them would have grown to manhood or to womanhood, and if the President and his good wife had partaken three daily of the frivolities of food which were declared to be their favorites, there would have been no strenuousness in the life of Theodore Roosevelt, nor any gentle-faced devotion to family interests on the part of his wife.

Colonel Roosevelt's Way.

What did Roosevelt do in this case? He read the menus, made a face and forthwith "wrote to the editor." He was as mad as the proverbial hornet. He declared that his family ate the same kind of food that the ordinary, self-respecting American family ate. He said that if there was any cold meat left over from the single roast of the night before, they had it for luncheon with some warmed-over vegetables. He went into details of breakfast, luncheon and dinner, and he wound up by saying in effect that this attempt to make gourmets and epicures out of the members of his family was a violation of the decencies, and a shattering of the simple truth in the case. For a while the intrusive ones let the domestic arrangements of the White House alone.

Mrs. Harding probably will have her troubles in subduing the sensational instincts of some people who delight in the exploitation of the fantastic, the incongruous and the outlandish.

Mark of Bondage.

Little Paul, visiting his cousins on the farm, had been taken down to see the pigs. Noticing several had rings in their noses, he said to his big brother: "Say, Bill, those pigs must be married, 'cause they are wearing rings."—Chicago American.

To Wash Windows.  
Use a piece of chamois skin about fifteen to eighteen inches square. Use warm water, wring out the chamois lightly and wash over the window. Then wring the chamois out of water until as dry as possible and rub over the window. This will take off all the moisture and there will be no lint left. The windows will shine, and once tried you will never wash your windows any other way.

"Palaces" of Early Times.

Palaces are now the abodes of princes or kings, but the word was once used in a totally different sense. Phillips gives the derivation from palatia, pales or palea, fences. In Devonshire a palace was a storehouse: in Totness "a landing place, inclosed but not roofed in." Thus in an old lease drawn in 1793 we come upon the clause, "all that cellar . . . and the little palace and landing place adjoining the river Dart." In the forty-fifth Psalm, the eighth verse, is the sentence "out of ivory palaces," that is the storehouses of cabinets made of ivory.—London Times.

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FOR RENT—Furnished modern rooms. 919 Main St. 530-2131f

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FOR RENT—Room 1001 Kingwood St. Phone 588-R. 569-21813pd

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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BOARD AND Room offered in modern house, near town and shops, 213 North Ninth. Phone 528-M. 526-2111f

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LOST—Ladies black hat during Xmas holidays, was picked up and seen on mail box at Cullen's corner. Phone 951-W. 570-21811

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## Imaginary Pain.

Long after his wounds are healed a returned soldier may feel pain in them. This pain, according to Dr. Arthur F. Hurst, physician and neurologist to Guy's hospital, London, is due to the impression made on the patient's mind by the original pain. In spite of the fact that the cause of the pain has gone, his mind has got so accustomed to feeling the pain that he continues to feel it. "It has generally been ascribed," said Doctor Hurst in a recent lecture before the Royal College of Surgeons, "to nerve fibers becoming involved in scar tissue, but nothing abnormal may be found at operation." Such patients are rapidly cured when the matter is thoroughly and carefully explained to them.

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